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Proposals for Gujarat
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government has received proposals from the State of Gujarat for regarding external aid for six proposed projects; and

(b) If so, the details thereof and action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)

(a) & (b) As per the Government of India Guidelines, the project proposals of the Union Government/State Governments for external assistance through Multilateral Development Banks are received in the Department of Economic Affairs with the recommendations/comments of the concerned line Ministries/Departments, NITI Aayog and self certification by the concerned State Government with regard to Debt Sustainability. The proposals complete in all aspects and in conformity with the existing guidelines for posing to Multilateral Development Banks are considered by a Screening Committee. Approved projects are posed to the Multilateral Development Banks for financing and technical assistance. Government of India has received the six proposals directly from the State of Gujarat in the month of October, 2016 for seeking external assistance. The details of these projects and action taken thereon are at Annexure-I.